Lucilius
Catullus
Horatius
Persius
Juvenal

Early Writers

Date of Life	Name of writer	Nationality	Native town or Country	Condition or position at birth
280-204? B.C.	Livius Andronicus	Greek	Tarentum	Slave
264-194? B.C.	Cn. Naevius	Latin	Campania	Free Not a Roman Citiz
254-210? B.C.	Quintus Fabius Pictor	Roman	Etruria	Aristocrat
249-209? B.C.	L. Cincius Alimentus	Roman		Noble
254-184? B.C.	T. Maccius Plautus	Roman.	Sarsina a village of Umbria	Huble Poor.

Profession	Field of Literature	Name and history of literary work.	Style
Teacher	Poet. Comedies Tragedies Epic.	Translated Odyssey into Saturnian verse which was ext book 200 years. Translated tragedies from Greek, 1st play 240 B.C. Acted his own plays.	Bald Incorrect
Soldier in 1st Punic War.	Epic Tragedy Comedy	Epic - Saturnian Verse - 1st Punic War. Prohibited 1st play about 235 B.C. Punished for satire on Patrician Men Finally exiled for his bitter satire and died at Utica	Popular, Bold, Original Conscious of his ability
Soldier	History	From Aeneas to end of 2nd Punic War in which he served Wrote in Greek, because satire and did not write for the masses.	Dry Record of Events with some Greek Myths
Annalist, Antiquarian Jurist	History	Annales containing an account of Rome from Foundation, especially 2nd Punic War. Fragments of writings Extant Wrote in Greek.	Popular with Roman writers
Laborer Stage hand Worker in Mill Play writer	Comedy	Wrote in Latin. 130 Comedies 21 Genuine Best plays: Bacchides, Captivi, Aulularia, Menaechmi (Com. of Errors) Miles Gloriosus. (Extant)	Popular with Genuine humor Vivacious in dialog. Skilled in Lang & Meter

Early Writers

Time of Life	Name of writer	Nationality	Name of Town or Country or both.	Condition at birth
239 B.C. – 169	Quintus "Ennius"	Greek	Rudiae in Calabria	Poor – Humble Free, but not a Rom. Citizen
234 B.C. – 149	M. Porcius "Cato"	Roman	Tusculum & Latium 10 miles S.E. of Rome	Of an ancient honored family
220 B.C. – 132	M. "Pacuvius"	Greek	Born at Brundisium in Apulia 220 B.C. Died at Tarentum in Calabria in Italy 132 B.C.	Nephew of Ennius
219 B.C. – 166?	Statius "Caecilius"	Insubrian	Insubria Brought to Rome a prisoner of war Began writing 200 B.C.	Humble
185 B.C. – 159	P. "Terentius" (Afer)	Carthaginian	Carthage in Africa	Slave a poor Educated and set free

Profession	Class of Literature	Name of Writings and Their History	Style Rank.
Soldier in 2nd Punic War. Teacher of Greek.	Epic ~~Ode~~ Comedy Satire	"Father of Roman Poetry" Wrote in Latin Hexameters The Annales an Epic poem from Aeneas to about 172 B.C. Wrote in almost all fields of Lit. Epic had 18 books written in 84 yrs. Brought to Rome 204 by Cato. Soul of Homer entered Ennius he said	Clear. Often Beatiful Popular
Agriculturalist Orator Statesman Lawyer. Consul 195 Censor 184	Creator of Latin Prose. History Agriculture Law. etc. "Father-Latin Prose"	First really national author. Established Style in all prose. Origines - History of Rome - 7 Books Fragments of about 1/7 extant. Wrote "De re rustica" - Extant. Studied Greek in old age. Stern and narrow, but honest	severe. Crude. High in authority among later writers
Painter Writer	12 Tragedies	Brought to Rome by his uncle Ennius.	
Writer	Comedy	Wrote several plays. His actor, Ambivius Turpio, said that Caecilius was finally recognized because of Turpio's efforts. Friend and patron of Terence Studied under Plautus. Introduced purer and more dignified Comedy than Plautus'	Incorrect Latin Elevated Praised by Horace
Writer	Comedy	Six Comedies Extant. Andria - (Maid of Andros) 166. B.C. Adelphoe (Brothers) Most successful play. Intimate with Scipio Africanus and C. Laelius - It was said they aided him in writing. He was praised by Horace, Cicero, and Caesar.	Pure. Lofty. Moral. Purposeful. Very popular over Plautus

Date of Life	Name	Nationality	Town and Country or both	Condition of birth
B.C. 170 ? 94	Lucius "Accius" (Attius)	Roman	Pisaurum in Umbria	Son of a freedman
B.C. 180 103	C. Lucilius	Campanian	Suessa Aruncа in Campania of Italy	Equestrian family. Easy circumstances
148 B.C. 87	M. Antonius	Roman		
140 B.C. 91	M. Licinius Crassus	Roman		
116 B.C. 27	M. Terentius Varro		At Reate in Sabinum in Italy	Easy circumst. Educated "Most learned of the Romans

Profession	Field of Literature	Name and History of Writings	Style + ...
Writer	Tragedy Comedy Literary Histories	40 Tragedies and several Comedies Didascalia (Hist. Greek & Roman Poets) Pragmatica (Treating of Literary history) Annales (Mythological History in hexameters) Few Fragments are extant. He was the link between Literary periods of classical & Gothical	Dignity Vigor Rhetorical style Given high rank by Cicero, Horace et. al.
Soldier Writer	Satire	Founder of True Roman Satire. Boldly and fiercely satirized faults & vices. Wrote 30 Books of Satire 3000 lines extant in Fragmentary State. Friend of the Younger Scipio & Lelius Used many Greek words etc. Used words dear to Common people.	Bold Eccentric Cosmopolitan Independent Ranked high by ancients
Orator Lawyer	Oratory	Said he made [illegible] and then with him. Ignorant of real law advantages natural and personal. Ready wit. Eloquent flow of words. Presence of mind. Fertile imagination. Wonderful memory. Acquired style. Never rehearsed a case. Eloquence ceased [illegible] away.	Ranked with Crassus as the greatest by Cicero
Lawyer Orator	Oratory	Fine culture, legal knowledge, & [illegible] Grave dignified orator. [illegible] Consul 95 B.C. [illegible] Bitter [illegible] against Philippus, the Consul of 91 B.C. [illegible] Senatorial power and dignity produced fever from which he died 7 days afterwards. People for years viewed place of last speech	See above
Literature Science History	Satirae Menippeae History Science	A holy historian. A luminous writer 70 works in more than 600 volumes His knowledge and writings were of all subjects. He wrote an encyclopaedia of sciences. Gram., arith., rhet. Geog., astron., music, medicine, architecture, biography. Always interested in the subject matter not in style. Fragments preserved by other writers. Librarian of Caesars public library.	[illegible] by other writers of his time.

	Cicero, Letters & Pol. writ	[illegible] native land country	[illegible] conditions Death
B.C. 114-55	2. Hortensius	Roman	Rome	Early
B.C. 106-43	M. T. Cicero	Roman	Arpinum	Equestrian family
B.C. 144 70	(L. Aelius Praecenius) C. Aelius Stilo	Roman		Early
B.C. 95? 55	T. "Lucretius" Carus	Roman		Writer [illegible] Roman Knight
B.C. 100 42	C. Julius Caesar	Roman		
B.C. 119 67	L. Cornelius Sisenna	Roman		

Lawyer

Statesman
Grammarian
Historian

Orator
Philosophy
Ethics
Religion

Grammar
Philology
Etymology

Didactic
Epic

Writer

Warrior

History

Judgment in all things, to
reason, measure drawing,
Friend to Cicero.
Extravagant in
Fond of hunting, fishing, banquets

70 B.C. Quaestor, Sent to Sicily B.C.
69 B.C. Aedile, 66 B.C. Praetor,
63 B.C. Consul.
Character unsullied, & pure,
noble and true.

Wrote on Grammar, Etymology,
Philology,
of use, no other in itself.
Inferior to Cicero

Did the Iliad in
Ovid's Metamorphoses
Year of Rome
version, and wrote in rhyme.

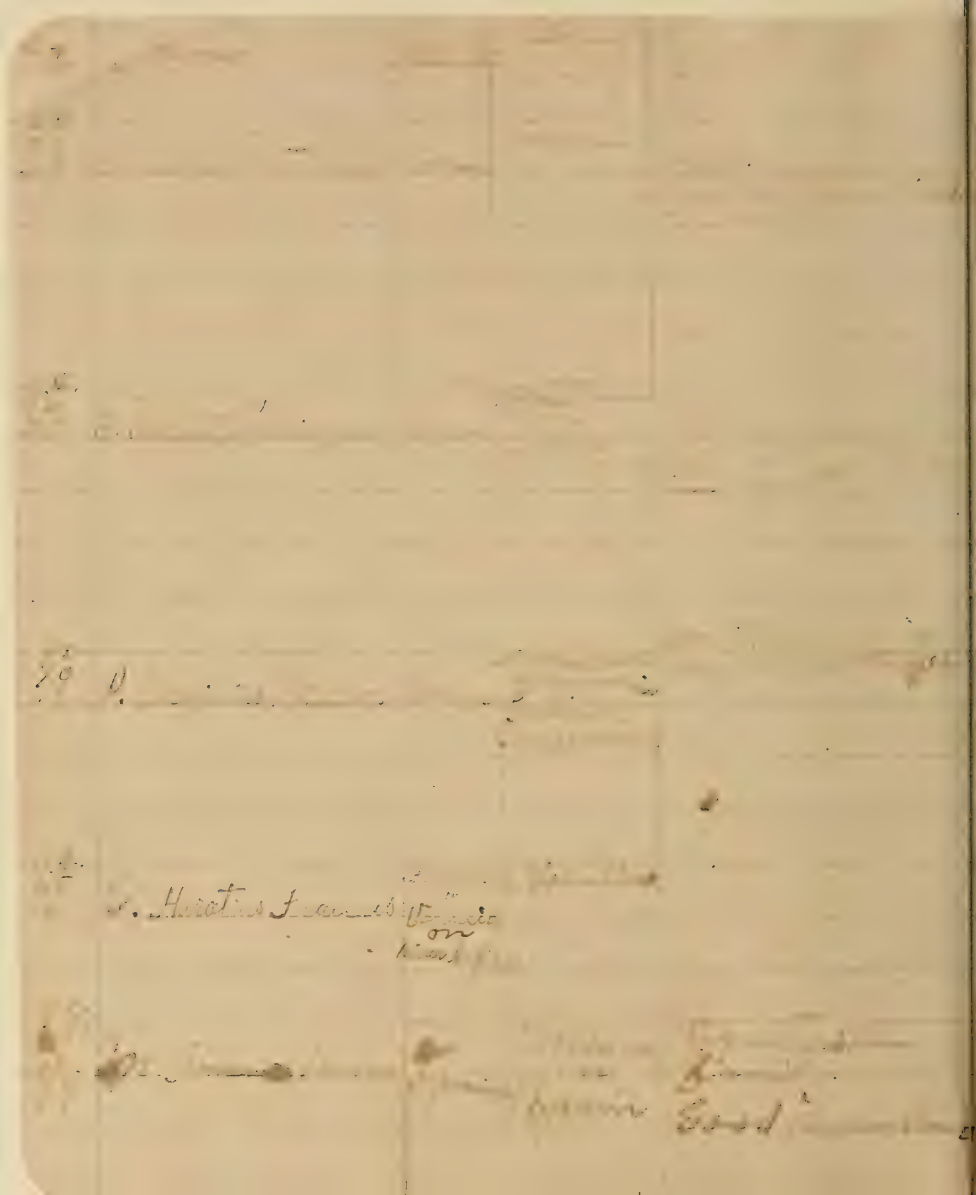
Inferior, late and no room for History

History of Persian and Alexander
Studious, Conscientious,
Praised by Cicero to all
annalists

Brazilian
Negro

Artistic
Florid -

Best.

Artistic

Name	Nationality	City & Country	Rank or Condition in Family
T. Livius (Livy)	Roman	Patavium (Padua)	Illustrious family
(Ovid) P. Ovidius Naso	Roman	Sulmo in country of Peligni	Father a well to do Roman knight.
Cornelius Nepos		Northern Italy	
[illegible] Tibullus	Roman		Wealthy Equestrian family.
Propertius (Sept.)	Roman	Asisium in Umbria	Wealthy

Profession — Field of Literature

Historian — History

Poet — Poet

Poet — Elegiac Love poems 4 Books

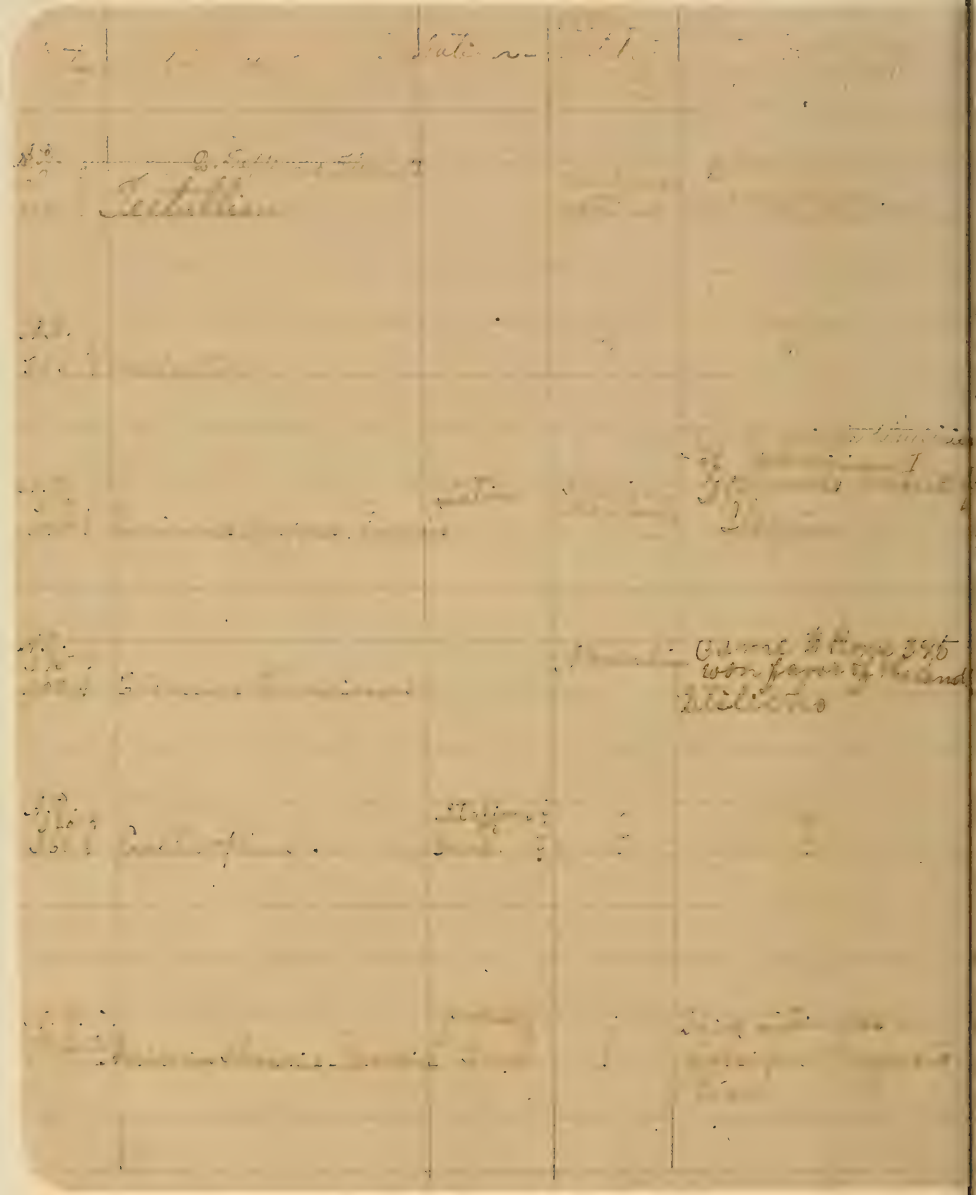
Poet

Name	Nationality	City	Remarks
[illegible]	Spaniard	[illegible]	Son of Seneca Rhetorician [illegible]
1st Century [illegible]	Roman	?	?
[illegible] (Widow) Fabia Plautia Candida	Roman	Roman Commune in Upper Italy	Good family Highly educated
[illegible] Fabius Plautius Candidus Quintilianus	Roman	Roman Commune	Good family Friend of Quintilian
[illegible] "Quintilian" [illegible] Fabius Quintilianus		Calagurris in Spain	High Roman official Friend of Pliny at Rome

		Fifth Essay - Lecture on moral Treatises. [illegible]
		Pleasure - Pain - human nature and [illegible]
		Weep in Lady Lear's birth, A Storm in Lear
		Banished to Carlisle A.D. 85, remained 4 years
		Lancelot to King. Held by Earl of [illegible]
	Poetry	Cornish Nobles joined beside to Lear. Virtues [illegible]
		Not a great Simple. Generally high esteem [illegible]
		[illegible] Died quoting Moral [illegible]
Historian	History	History of Alexander the Great in [illegible]
		[illegible] Claudius Ptolemy. Treated in high [illegible]
		[illegible] position [illegible]
		[illegible]
		First two books [illegible]
		[illegible]
Statesman Scholar, Writer	Military Economics, Historical, Biographical, Political Subjects, Natural Hist.	Besides [illegible] subjects named [illegible] History [illegible]
		Germanic Wars 20 books and [illegible] 37 books. [illegible]
		[illegible] Nat. Hist. 37 books. [illegible]
		Made [illegible] 20000 miles from [illegible]
		[illegible]
		[illegible]

			rank and condition at birth
A.D. 54 ? 119	Publius Cornelius Tacitus	?	Probably born in a Roman province
A.D. 75 ? 160 ?	Gaius Suetonius Tranquillus	?	?
A.D. 34 62	Aulus Persius Flaccus	Volaterrae in Etruria	Good position in family. Educated at Rome by best teachers. Died at 28 years.
A.D. 39 65	(Lucan) M. Annaeus Lucanus	Corduba in Spain	Nephew of Seneca, the philosopher. Taught at Rome by most eminent teachers.
A.D. 54 ? 134	Junius Decimus Juvenalis	Aquinum near Tibur	Rich freedman
A.D. 43 104 ?	(Martial) M. Valerius Martialis	Bilbilis in Spain	Without family at birth. Came to Rome 66 A.D. Went back to Bilbilis 100 A.D.

Suetonius	Biography	Life of first twelve emperors of Rome, from Julius to Domitian. Does not follow chronological order	Medium
Associate	Biography	De illustribus grammaticis et de claris historicis, extant - Epitaph that he carved on his own tomb. Was one of the three secretaries, extant. Also wrote a history of Rome, extant. Wrote a book in praise of Roscius the actor, intimate friend of Julius Caesar, Pompey the Younger,	Brief. Subtle. Obscure. Condensed
Writer	Dating Satire	[illegible] Influenced by Lucilius and Horace. Considered one of the most serious of Roman satirists. [illegible]	Difficult
Writer	Poetry Prose	Wrote various poems and prose works - subject matter - wife in love with C. Julius Caesar and Pompey. Poems to Lucius Valerius Catullus. Poems addressed to Lesbia. Wrote Lesbia's epitaph. Died in battle. Wrote to prepare death, i.e. [illegible]	Medium Lively. Witty. Good. Humorous. Extravagant. Sarcastic
Writer	Satire	Wrote Satires - about 80 A.D. Lesbia. Pupil - Quintilian, Horace, Persius, Juvenal. Held public mind to ridicule, Tacitus, Agrippina and Claudius. Friend of Martial.	
Writer	Epistles	Wrote Epistles - "Letters" more than 1500 in four books, divided into 90 books. Greatest source of information as to customs of the time. A.D. Judge of Character of the great as noted by Pliny with eye for contrast.	Epistolary Language



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Pet. Orientalia
Philadelphia
Epigram
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Poet.

Letter
Poet

Letter of [illegible]
[illegible] to numerous others present etc.
[illegible]
[illegible]
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Statesman
Scholar

Philosophy
Arithmetic
Geometry
Music

Grammarian
Literator

Grammar
Poetry

Date	Name	Station	City + County of Birth	Husband Condition at birth

Early Writers

Plautus, Ennius, Cato, Terence,

Ciceronian

Cicero, Caesar, Lucretius, Catullus, Sallust, Nepos.

Augustan age

Vergil, Horace, Ovid, Tibullus, Propertius, Livy.

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CHICAGO, ILL.

Silver age.

A.D.
25-79
62-113

4-65 A.D. Seneca, Curtius, Two Plinys

A.D. A.D. A.D.
35-95 54-118 75-160

Quintilian, Tacitus, Suetonius,

34-62 39-65 54-134 43-103

Persius, Lucan, Juvenal, Martial

Late Writers

150-230

Tertullian, Lactantius, Ausonius

400?

Claudian Eutropius, Macrobius,

500?

Boethius Priscian